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In re the Application of:

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For: SIMULTANEOUS CUSTOMER/ACCOUNT STRATEGY EXECUTION IN A DECISION
MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 3, 2001, and having a period for response set to expire on January 3, 2002.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

IN THE CLAIMS:

✓ Please CANCEL claims 12-21, without prejudice or disclaimer.
✓ Please AMEND the claims as indicated below.

✓ 1. (ONCE AMENDED) A computer-implemented decision management process for evaluating a customer of an organization having more than one account, comprising:
in a single pass, evaluating the customer and each of the accounts of the same type with the same strategy, different types of accounts being evaluated with different strategies; and
taking an action in accordance with a result of said evaluating.

2. (NOT AMENDED) A process as in claim 1, wherein the customer and accounts are evaluated in accordance with customer data and account data, respectively, the